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COMMUNICATION RELAY METHOD Examiner: H. V. Nguyen

REQUEST FOR CONSIDERATION OF
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT FILED SEPTEMBER 6, 2006

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

With respect to the Information Disclosure Statement filed September 6, 2006, the Examiner returned a copy of the PTO-1449 in which the JP '717, JP '278, JP '702, JP '937, and JP '696 references were not initialed. Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to initial and return a copy of the previously supplied Form PTO-1449 indicating consideration of these references. The references in question were cited in the PCT International Search Report (ISR) dated June 21, 2005 and should be considered pursuant to MPEP 1893.03(g); for the Examiner's convenience, these documents were loaded onto PAIR via EFS on December 31, 2008,. It is noted that PAIR contains a copy of the Form PTO-1449, a copy of the IDS, as well as a copy of the ISR.

Respectfully submitted,

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